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By U.S. Mail

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Shari Kolak
U.S. EPA - Region 5
77 West Jackson Boulevard SR-6J
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Re: Kalamazoo River Superfund Site

Dear Ms. Kolak:

Yesterday, I received the attached letter. As I have discussed several times in the past with Ms. Furey, Gould Paper Corporation ("Gould") did own the former Hawthorne Mill for a brief period in the late 1960s until the mid-1970s, but never handled or manufactured PCB-containing paper products.

Gould is considering how best to proceed in response to the attached letter and is in discussions with Georgia-Pacific on cooperating with the proposed Removal action.

As I indicated in voice mail messages yesterday to both you and Ms. Furey, I will be out of the country over the next week on vacation. I will contact you upon my return to discuss these matters further.

Please do not hesitate to contact me upon my return.

Very truly yours,

John G. Nevius

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Enclosure

cc: Eileen L. Furey, Esq.
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